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Date: December 20, 2013 Complaint Number: 13-15553 Type of Incident: Homicide

Location: 16 Mile & Myers Lake N.E., Nelson Township

Detective: Marty Albert

Supervisor Approval: Lt. Ron Gates

On Wednesday, December 18, 2013, a motorist was driving on 16 Mile near Myers Lake when he noticed what he thought was a dead deer in the snow off the side of the road. Upon further examination, he noticed it was a deceased person.

The decedent was later identified as Steven Carl Day, 54, of Grand Rapids. An autopsy was done on December 19, 2013, and the Kent County Medical Examiner's Office determined the manner of death was a homicide.

Two suspects were identified and lodged at the Kent County Correctional Facility on December 20, 2013. Their names are being withheld at this time pending review by the Kent County Prosecutor's Office.

Anyone with additional information is asked to call the Kent County Sheriff Department at 616-336-3113 or Silent Observer at 616-774-2345.

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